



# FAMILY ADVENT READING PLAN

Join us as we journey through the Old Testament with 40 Bible readings, one for each day of the Nativity fast. Order the book, Welcoming the Christ Child by Elissa Bjeletich, to enjoy the readings and discussion questions with your family each day leading up to the birth of our Savior.

## WELCOMING THE CHRIST CHILD

40	Nov 28	God Creates the World	20	Dec 18	David the Psalmist
39	Nov 29	God Creates People	19	Dec 19	King Solomon the Wise
38	Nov 30	The Fall of Mankind	18	Dec 20	King Solomon's Reign
37	Dec 1	Noah's Ark	17	Dec 21	The Prophet Elias
36	Dec 2	The Hospitality of Abraham	16	Dec 22	The Chariot of Fire
35	Dec 3	Jacob & Esau	15	Dec 23	The Prophet Elisha
34	Dec 4	Jacob's Ladder	14	Dec 24	Jonah Runs from God
33	Dec 5	Joseph & the Coat	13	Dec 25	Jonah in Nineveh
32	Dec 6	Joseph Interprets Dreams	12	Dec 26	Tobit & Tobias
31	Dec 7	Joseph & his Family	11	Dec 27	Isaiah
30	Dec 8	Jacob's Prophecy	10	Dec 28	Ezekiel
29	Dec 9	The Prophet Moses	9	Dec 29	Daniel in Babylon
28	Dec 10	Leaving Egypt	8	Dec 30	3 Youth in Fiery Furnace
27	Dec 11	In the Wilderness	7	Dec 31	Daniel in Lion's Den
26	Dec 12	God's Law	6	Jan 1	Joachim & Anna
25	Dec 13	Joshua & the Battle of Jericho	5	Jan 2	High Priest Zacharias
24	Dec 14	Ruth's Story	4	Jan 3	Annunciation
23	Dec 15	The Young Prophet Samuel	3	Jan 4	Mary Visits Elizabeth
22	Dec 16	The Anointing of David	2	Jan 5	Righteous Joseph
21	Dec 17	David & Goliath	1	Jan 6	Child is Born in Bethlehem

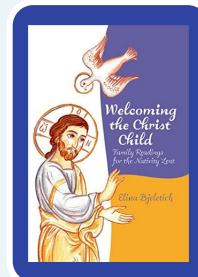


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# COLOR YOUR WAY TO CHRISTMAS

For all our kids joining us on the Family Advent Reading Plan, do we have a treat for you! Everyday we want you to read from Welcoming the Christ Child with your family and then color in the matching day's piece on this color-by-number activity sheet. Use the Color Guide below to know what color to use each of the 40 days of the reading plan. By the time Christmas is here, you will have a work of art created by YOU!

## COLOR GUIDE

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